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## A New Christmas Story

BY JERRY NORDMARK

Christmas eve had been a happy time at the Hadler household, near Grass Lake, just like it had always been since little Debbie was old enough to enjoy the tree and gifts. The Hadlers always spent their Christmas eves at home, usually with guests. This was Debbie's fifth.

Brown paper was strewn all over the floor; brilliantly colored wrappings and ribbons were here and there. A light bulb—the one that stuck through the star at the top of the tree—was burned out. No one changed it. Debbie's gifts were piled in one corner of the living room, sort of back of a pretty maple Boston rocker.

"This is a bad place for these, Paul, they might get smashed," Debbie's mother said while picking up the gifts and moving them.

"I'M READY, MOMMY," Debbie shouted from upstairs.

"Climb into bed, I'll be right up," her mother replied, then turned to Paul and said, "Turn it down please."

Debbie looked sweet under the pink comforter, her doll on her arm. Her mother noticed that her hair was just a little darker than the doll's golden locks.

"Mommy, who was Jesus really?" Debbie asked.

"HE WAS A good man who lived many, many years ago, Debbie, in an ancient, old land called Israel—far away from Antioch."

"Was he good like Daddy?"

"Yes, honey, now let's tuck you in and you go off to dreamland like a good girl."

"But Mommy, who is Christ?"

"That was Jesus' last name, Debbie."

"YOU KNOW WHAT, Mommy . . . in Sun'y school I learned Christmas is Jesus' birthday . . . isn't it?"

"Yes, it is; now go to sleep."

She leaned down to kiss Debbie, then flicked off the bright light and left.

Paul had slid his chair closer to the set so he could hear better. The show was still on. Debbie's mother sank down in a chair. She was tired. It had been a hard day: the dinner preparation, the serving and the cleaning up; the excitement, the noise.

SHE LOOKED around the room. Once in a while it seemed like nothing was real and this was one of those times. I'm just all in she thought. Her eyes stopped upon some dust she had missed on the table. Her hand slid across something cold.

As she whisked off the dust she rubbed her fingers on the smooth black leather, across the words, "Holy Bible." She remembered when she had gotten it for confirmation. It had been nice not to have to study catechism any more. She picked up the book. It was stiff. It cracked sort of as she leafed through the pages.

It tells about Christmas in the New Testament, she thought. After some fumbling and leafing through the book she found Luke—the Gospel according to Saint Luke. My, it had been years. There was Matthew, Mark and John, too. She flipped back to Luke.

SHE NOTICED PAUL. He was still watching the show.

She skimmed the fine print: . . . "And in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God unto a city of Galilee, named Nazareth, to a virgin espoused to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David; and the Virgin's name was Mary. And the angel came in unto her, and said, Hail, thou that art highly favoured, the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women."

And when she saw him, she was troubled at his saying, and cast in her mind what manner of salutation this should be. And the angel said unto her: Fear not Mary; for thou hast found favor with God. And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a Son, and shalt call his name Jesus.

HE SHALL BE great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest: and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David. And he shall reign over the house of Jacob forever; and of his kingdom there shall be no end.

Then said Mary unto the angel, How shall this be seeing I know not a man? And the angel answered and said unto her, The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore also that holy thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God . . . For with God nothing shall be impossible.

Paul was still watching the show she noticed.

SHE SKIMMED some more, then stopped, reading: "And Joseph also went up from Galilee out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; . . . And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be d-

elivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

She stopped and read that last sentence again. "And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which SHALL BE TO ALL PEOPLE."

She continued, "For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."

JOHN FLICKED off the set. She quickly laid down the book as he said, "It has been quite a day, a real long one, hasn't it?"

She agreed and followed him up the stairs after tossing her apron on the bannister.

He clasped her hand. They stopped at Debbie's room. Tears came to her mother's eyes as she looked at her daughter, Debbie, but Paul didn't see them. She would read a story to Debbie in the morning she thought.

## Lindenhurst

### LINDENHURST

(written for week of Dec. 18)

Team Standings	Won	Lost
1—Klimas Resort	30 1/2	14 1/2
2—Wolff's Resort	29 1/2	15 1/2
3—Thor's Shell Service	22	23
4—Engle Realtor	22	23
5—Slove's Bakery	21	24
6—Maier's Service	21	24
7—Sherry's Liquors	17	28
9—Joe's Tap	17	28

Klimas Resort took two games from Wolff's Resort. Thor's Shell Service took two games from Maier's Service. Engle Realtor took 2 games from Slove's Bakery. Joe's Tap took two games from Sherry's Liquors.

Wally Saran had high game of 227. Ray Koeppen had high series of 562.

Happy Birthday to Barbara Schariton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Schariton, on her 9th birthday Dec. 17.

A belated Happy Birthday to Bobby Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hunt who celebrated his 7th birthday Dec. 9. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunt and children of Maywood attended.

Deepest sympathy is extended to Hester Reynolds, Sand Lake, on the death of her sister, Phoebe Johnson, who passed away Monday, Dec. 8, in Chicago.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Lindenhurst Men's Club held its regular monthly meeting Thursday, Dec. 11 in the B. J. Hooper school. Nomination of officers was held and the election will take place at the meeting in January. After the meeting a pot luck supper was held and grab bag gifts were opened. Everyone enjoyed themselves.

A surprise housewarming was held Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parpan, Fairfield Rd. A lovely bedspread and drapes to match was presented by the ten couples from Chicago.

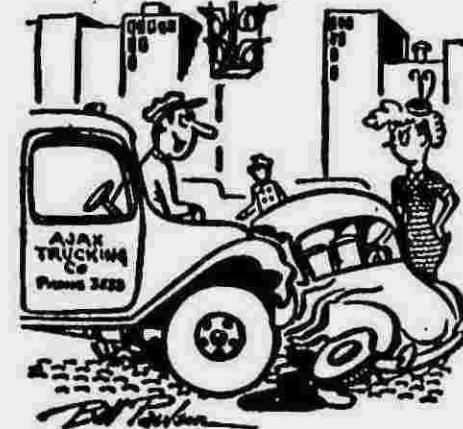


What doth the Lord require of thee but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?

—(Micah 6:8)

For all the greatness of His love and mercy to us, God requires so little of us—and yet some of us find that little so difficult. We find it so hard, even while doing justly, to be merciful to those less fortunate, to be humble in our proud self-assurance.

## My Neighbors



"Isn't it a shame! You went and broke your winding stem and main spring!"

This year, as in the past, many merchants in the Lakes Region send YOU their greetings for this Christmas season through the columns of the Antioch News. In the following pages you will find their greetings—greetings that otherwise could not be sent to their many friends and patrons.

They and we of the Antioch News sincerely hope that you enjoy and are inspired by their greetings that follow.



These Merchants Greet YOU  
in the following  
Christmas Greeting Section

# Indians Reluctant to Leave Lakeland, Living Good Here

**Redmen Forced Out  
In 1833, Three Years  
Before Pact Required**

BY JACQUELINE HORTON

Residents in this area have found the same joy of living near the lakes that the great Pottawatamie Indians knew some 125 years before.

It was with a great reluctance that this powerful tribe submitted to white demands and ceded their lands to the U.S. government. And these Indians were among the very last redmen in this area to leave their homeland.

**SOUTHERN AND** Central Illinois had been settled, as was the area around the old lead-mining country of Galena, long before the northeast portion attracted much attention. As late as 1833 the present Lake County was known to be inhabited by the Indians and only a very few transient white trappers and hunters.

This was due in part to the treaty made in 1829 at Prairie du Chien which held the stipulation that the Indians were to remain on the lands until August, 1836. The whites were forbidden to settle in the area until the time mentioned in the treaty.

**BUT IN 1831**, stimulated by the project for a commerce canal from Chicago to the Illinois River, the tide of travel turned towards Lake Michigan. This great commercial waterway, it seemed, would continue to be such for at least a generation. Chicago, Milwaukee, Root River (Racine) and Southport (Kenosha) were the best known landing points. In the very early 30's, those who were seeking homes in this region apparently drifted directly westward from the more populated ports.

From the dim past of earlier centuries on, the area around the Chicago Portage represented a strategic route of travel and an important rendezvous point for all the Indian people, both of the Illinois tribe and later those of the Pottawatamies. It was significant, therefore, that the final treaty and ceremonies marking the ultimate exodus of the redman from this part of the country should take place at this spot.

**IN SEPTEMBER**, 1833, a grand council was held at Chicago with representatives from all of the Indian nations present, whereby the last Indian treaty in Illinois was negotiated and concluded.

In this council the Pottawatamies ceded to the United States all that remained of their lands in Illinois and Wisconsin, including the whole of Lake county. It was "supposed to contain about five million acres," the treaty said of Lake county. The pact also provided for removal of the great Indian tribe from Illinois and west of the Mississippi.

Chicago in 1833 was an insignificant frontier village with but a few rude houses and business places, but it was then the scene of a great and historic drama. In it a once proud and powerful nation of native people were compelled by circumstances to which they had made no contribution, to desert the land of their fathers and terminate a residence of more than a century and a half at the demand of more powerful masters.

**AT THE TIME** of the pact, an English writer, Charles J. Latrobe, was making a tour of this country and was in Chicago. In his book entitled "Rambler," printed in London in 1835, he described the scene, subsequently quoted in Halsey's history of Lake County:

"When within five miles of Chicago, we came to the first Indian encampment; 5,000 Indians were said to be collected around this little upstart village. We found the village on our arrival crowded to excess and we procured with great difficulty, a small apartment, comfortable and noisy from its close proximity to others, but which was as good as we could have hoped for."

**THE POTAWATAMIES** were encamped on all sides; on the wide level prairie beyond the scattered village, beneath the shelter of the low woods on the side of the small river, or to the leeward of the sand hills near the beach of the lake.

"A preliminary council had been held with the chiefs some days before our arrival. The principal commissioner had opened it, as we learned, by stating that, 'as their great father in Washington had heard that they wished to sell their land, he had sent commissioners to treat with them.'

**THE INDIANS** promptly answered by their organ that, 'their great father in Washington must have seen a bad bird which had told them a lie, for that far from wishing to sell their land, they wished to keep it.'

The commissioner, nothing daunted, replied that nevertheless, as they had come together for a council, they must take the matter into consideration.

"He then explained to them promptly the wishes and intentions

of their great father, and asked their opinion thereof. Thus pressed they looked at the sky, saw a few wandering clouds, and straightway adjourned, sine die, as the weather was not clear enough for so solemn a council.

**"HOWEVER, AS** the treaty had been opened, provision was supplied to them by regular rations, and the same night they had great rejoicing; danced the war dance, and kept the eyes and ears of all open by running and howling about the village.

"Such was the state of affairs on our arrival. Companies of old warriors might be seen sitting smoking under every bush; arguing, palavering or pow-wowing with great earnestness; but there seemed no possibility of bringing them to another council in a hurry."

Next Week: The Last Treaty.



## Our Christmas Wishes

Like the star that guided the shepherds and wise men, may the love and glittering light of the Season make this Christmas your happiest!

BAETHKE'S GROCERY



## NOËL

Behold!..the Madonna and Child, sacred symbols of the Season, and a reminder of our many blessings. Let us rejoice now, for the Prince of Peace is born again, bringing us a renewal of faith and hope.

CHAIN O' LAKES CLEANERS



Beauty is in many things -  
a snow-covered countryside  
...the bright Northern Star,  
In the meaning of Christmas!

ANTIOCH LBR. & COAL  
Company

Antioch, Ill.

LAKE VILLA LBR. & COAL  
Company

Lake Villa, Ill.



## Oh Holy Night...

...with "tidings of great joy!" Again the Savior is reborn in the hearts of all mankind! May love and peace light your way this Christmas!

Smart's Country House  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lorenz

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PRESCRIPTION  
SERVICE

Medical science  
goes into your  
doctor's prescription  
... pharmaceutical  
science goes into the  
prescriptions we fill!

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DRUG STORE

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895 Main St. Antioch, Ill.

## Postal Rate Hike to Cost More for Direct, 'Junk' Mailers, Newspapers

You may be getting less purely advertising and such "junk" mail from your postal box after Jan. 1 when a new round of rate increases take effect. It will cost some advertisers too much for the return to be able to afford bulk direct mailing. The rate hike also will be felt by newspapers, direct mail advertisers and other such publications. No increases are planned for first class, the letter mail, or fourth class, the package mail.

**ACCORDING TO** Roy Kufalk, Antioch postmaster, the new rates will begin Jan. 1 on second and third class mail.

It will cost more to deliver the Antioch News and other newspaper by mail. They come by second class postage. In the local zones, it will cost 2.1 cents per pound for the non-advertising portion of the paper and 2.2 cents per pound for the advertising portion. In distant zones, the rates increase for the advertising portion to 3.0 cents to 11.0 cents per pound.

**THIS RISE** Jan. 1 is the first of three annual increases which take effect Jan. 1 of 1960 and 1961. Rates then on the advertising portion in zones 1 and 2 will go to 2.6 cents per pound and then 3.0 cents per pound.

Several changes will be made in regulations applying to third class mail.

Books and catalogs will continue to cost 10 cents per pound or fraction, but for advertising circulars and merchandise, the rate will rise to 16 cents per pound or fraction when mailed in bulk lots of 200 or more identical pieces. A minimum charge of 2 cents per piece will be in effect at both the 10 cent and 16 cent rates, except non-profit organizations will continue to be accepted at 1 cent per piece minimum.

Bulk mailers also will have to pay double for their mailing permits after the new year with \$20 fee to be collected.



**M. W. Heath**  
Broadway Street, Antioch



From all of us to all of you

**Elmer's Service Station**  
Rtes. 59 & 173 - Antioch



*As each Christmas comes around we look forward to seeing and greeting our many loyal friends. We take pleasure in saying "bello" and wish you a Merry Christmas.*

**Ray's Shell Station**  
413 Lake St. - Antioch



**Murrie's Standard Service**  
Antioch, Illinois



**YULETIDE GREETINGS!**

**Avery Electrical Appliances**

Main Street  
Antioch



*Unto Them an Angel Appeared Saying, He is Born... The Prince of Peace!*

**Barnstable & Brogan**

Main Street  
Antioch

**SANTA'S ON HIS WAY!**



Have the merriest, most wonderful Christmas ever!

**"Bette, Art and Bob"**  
ART'S PAINT STORE  
404-406 Lake St., Antioch



**Greetings to our Friends**

**WILLIAMS**  
DEPARTMENT STORE

Main St. - Antioch



*May your Christmas Ring with Laughter and Joy!*

**King's Drug Store**

Main Street  
Antioch

## Area Girl Scouts Aid Shut-ins As Yule Program

All over Western Lake County, the Girl Scouts of the Lakeside Council are doing their part in helping to make a Merry Christmas for shut-ins, for veterans in hospitals, and for children who are sick or in need.

Most of the troops in seven neighborhoods are having inter-troop parties and are uniting in community caroling. Besides this, the following are just a few examples of what individual troops are doing!

**TROOP 56** of Fox Lake made and filled stockings for a "stocking tree" which a local church donated to an orphan home;

Troop 43 of Big Hollow made a hundred-tray favors which will be given to patients at Victory Memorial Hospital in Waukegan. The girls of this troop cut out felt forms and filled fifty packages with them to be given to children in hospitals to help them while away the hours;

THE GIRLS in Troop 53 of Round Lake have made "stocking dolls" which are being given to children, and all of the troops in Round Lake are uniting in a "canned goods" drive which will be turned over to the local VFW for distribution where needed.

Troop 57 of Wildwood has made ornaments for the Christmas tree at the Lake County Home in Libertyville.

Troop 71 of Wildwood-Gages Lake is filling stockings for children in hospitals; and Brownie Troop 72 has made mobiles which will be taken to the children at St. Therese Hospital, to the Lake County Tuberculosis Sanitorium, and to the Lake County Home for the Aged.

IN ADDITION to this they have made a wooden clown and bean bag game for the Nelson Home at Lake Zurich, they are donating a basket of food to the St. Vincent DePaul Society, and as on-going project they plan on writing a message and sending a card each week to one of the little girls who was severely injured in the fire at Our Lady of Angels School.

After 300,000 miles, the stainless steel body of a 1936 car was still good...

### Greetings



### Merry-Go-Round BAKERY

### Merry Christmas

To all our customers we send the season's greetings. We would like to add one word of thanks also for your fine patronage.



### Antioch Liquor Store



BRINGING YOU  
BEST WISHES FOR  
THE NEW YEAR.

**Matt Nolan**  
Petite Lake



HAPPY  
HOLIDAY

Thank you for  
your many kind  
expressions of  
confidence.

1958

**Dr. Al Bucar**

### Merry Christmas

...to our  
many  
friends!

**Jim's Service Station**

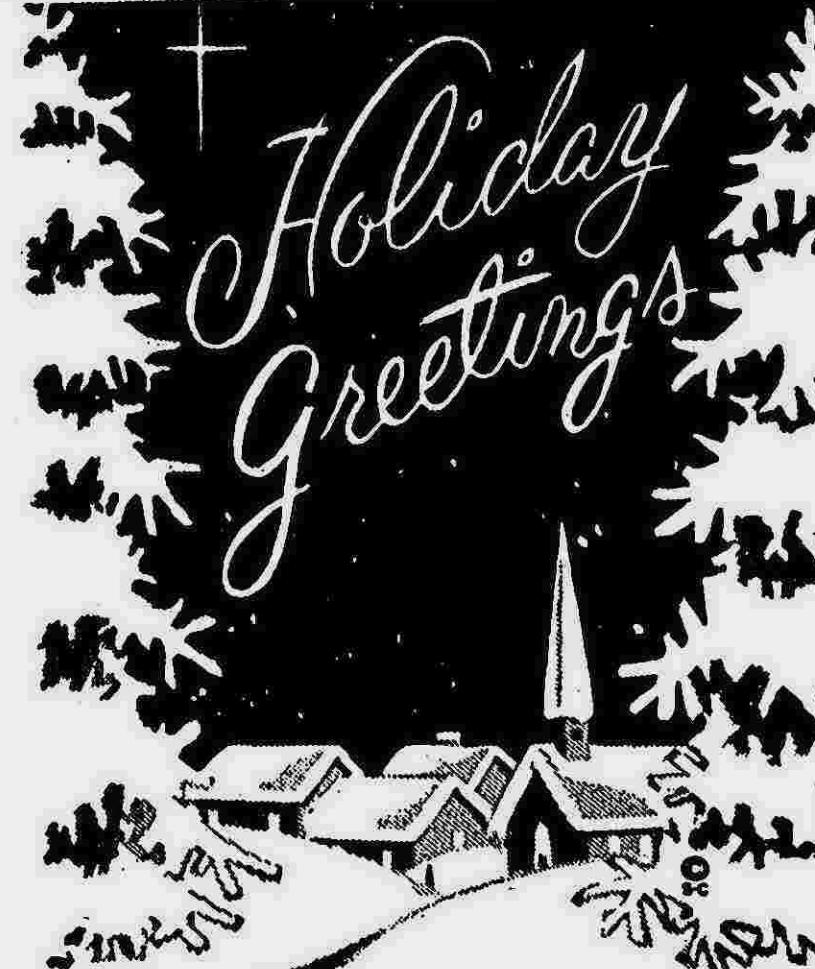
Main & Depot Sts.  
Antioch



A Sincere Wish for a Merry Christmas —  
and, Thank You to Our Customers!

**Antioch Launderette**

Rout 173  
Antioch



MERRY CHRISTMAS  
AND A  
HAPPY NEW YEAR

**Ella G. Jensen Gifts**

from  
Mari Anne's  
in Antioch

### OH, SILENT AND HOLY NIGHT...

...here's a prayer that our Savior's  
message..first told so long ago..  
will bring comfort and peace to  
all mankind at Christmas...

from all of us at

**Mari Anne's**

931 Main St. - Antioch



Another Christmas finds  
us joining hands with all  
our friends to wish you a  
happy holiday.

**The Klass Men's Store**

921 Main St. - Antioch



A JOYEUX NOEL  
TO OUR MANY GOOD FRIENDS  
AND LOYAL CUSTOMERS!

**Village Pizzeria**

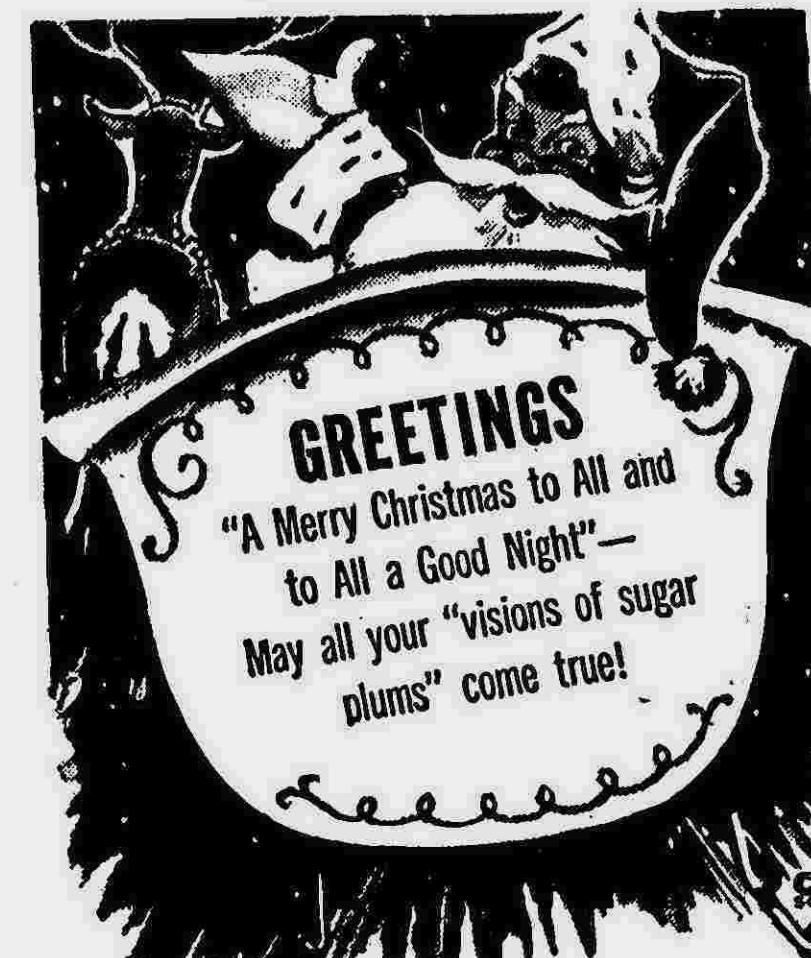
Rt. 21 - Lake Villa



Hi!  
It's time  
to send  
greetings  
your  
way...

**Jerry Rockow**

616 Highland - Antioch



**Roblin's Hardware**

392 Lake Street - Antioch



JOLLY  
GOOD WISHES  
May this Christmas  
be the happiest Holiday  
ever for all of you!

*The Village Pontiac, Rambler*



MERRY  
MERRY  
CHRISTMAS  
May the gifts of  
health, wealth and  
happiness be yours!

**BILL'S SERVICE STATION**

Loon Lake

Bill Yucus

Ken Torkelson



Once again, the wonderful  
story of our Savior's Birth  
is noted...Merry Christmas!

*House of Beauty*



Our gift to you —  
many best wishes  
for a very bright and  
Happy Holiday!

**LOON LAKE SERVICE**  
Herman and Marie



*Mary's Restaurant*

### Antioch Homemakers Hold Yule Luncheon

Twenty-two members and a guest of the Antioch Homemakers met last Wednesday for their annual Christmas luncheon and party at the home of Mrs. Clarence Spiering.

After a luncheon, an exchange grab bag was held. Clarence Spiering showed pictures of their recent trip to Africa, and coffee and cake were served.

The next meeting will be held Jan 28 at the home of Mrs. A. S. Stewart, Channel Lake.

### Russ Flag Incident At ATHS Is 'Closed'

The Russian flag flying prank at Antioch High School is officially closed, school officials said.

Four of the students who were involved in the incident last October have been reprimanded and requested to make a tour of the Downey Veterans' Hospital as a renewal of patriotism.

Three of the students and their parents were at the school board meeting last week to discuss the

### ON STATE INCOME TAX

"There is no sound reason why Illinois politicians veer away from the income tax. All taxes are unpopular. An income tax, fairly applied and with a fair exemption, certainly would be as good a way as any to collect the money the people must pay for the state and local services they demand." — Gibson City Courier.

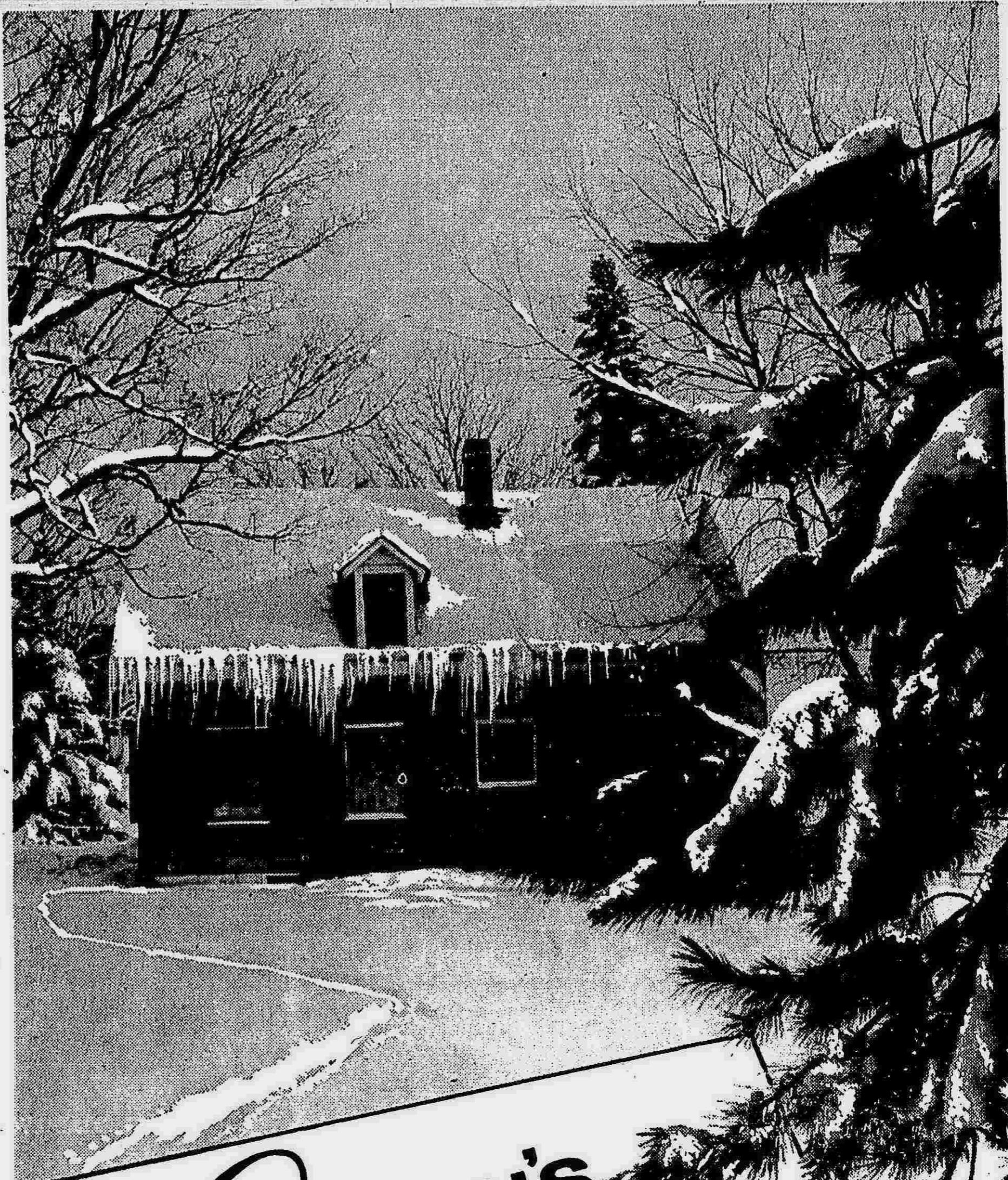
The Antioch News and Lakes Theatre invite C. P. Groeninger, Rte. 2, Box 655A, Lake Villa, and one to attend Sunday, Monday or Tuesday's show at the Lakes Theatre.

### WEALTH

"Wealth—any income that is at least \$1,000 more a year than the income of the wife's sister's husband." — The Oblong Oracle.

Since 1900, Minnesota has yielded about three-fifths of the nation's iron ore.

youths' conduct. The board advised the parents that the matter was to be considered closed after the meeting.



**State Bank of Antioch**

## Wilmot

Mrs. Herman Frank, Correspondent  
Tel. Underhill 2-2752

(written for week of Dec. 18)  
Mrs. Rodelle Harms and Mrs. Herman Frank called on John Grabow at the Kenosha Hospital, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stenzel, Wilmot, announced the birth of a daughter at Burlington hospital, Dec. 12.

Lynnae Louise Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper, was baptized Sunday at Peace Lutheran church by the Rev. R. P. Otto. Sponsors were Laverne Ellis and Francis Cooper. A dinner was held in her honor for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cooper and Francis, Mr. and Mrs. John Weiler, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brunner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown called on Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Orr, Waukegan, Wednesday afternoon. Calvin Orr returned home Saturday after ten days stay with his grandparents.

Mrs. Floyd Gyger, Sr., Mrs. Dan Fleming and Mrs. William Scott and Pat Morton had their bunco Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Art Winn, Wednesday.

Bid and Chatter club Christmas dinner was held at the home of Mrs. Herman Frank, Thursday. A gift exchange was held and \$500 played with prize being awarded to Mrs. William Harms.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry TenBruin, Chicago, called on Mrs. Herman Frank and Mrs. William Harms, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Higgins were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoffman, Genoa City.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rasch and family, Mrs. L. Sweet, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Rasch and family, R. J. Austin, and Mrs. Walter Frank attended a Homecoming Day for Mr. and Mrs. George Cowan, Slades Corners who returned from a three year stay in Germany.

Mrs. William Harms returned to her home Tuesday after a month's stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wertz spent the week-end with Melvin Wertz, Chicago.

Randall Rustlers 4-H Christmas party was held Dec. 11 at Bassett Town Hall. Barbara Rasch, Carol Oetting, Ray Cates, Glen Rasch and Janet Schmalfeldt were the program committee. On the decorating committee were Shirley and Judy Rasch, Judy Cates, Randy and Joan Mueller, Dick Tilton and Ronald Memler. A Christmas film strip and games were shown and a gift exchange was held for the parents and children. Carol Oetting was presented a camera which she had won for selling the most candy, Jeff Orhwall won second, \$2, and Sandy and Joann Mueller won third, \$1. Lunch was served.

The Peace Youth Group of Peace Lutheran church had their Christmas party Dec. 14. The Faith Lutheran League of Antioch were their guests. A Christmas film with games were shown and a gift exchange was held. Lunch was served.

BAD MONEY  
AFTER GOOD

"Following a good example is not always the wisest course of action. After all, look what happens to a counterfeiter." —Ford County Press.

## BLACK DIRT

## + GRAVEL

## + SAND

## + FILL

M. CUNNINGHAM  
CARTAGE

PROMPT SERVICE Phone 419  
E. North Ave., Antioch, Ill.



Greetings

1958

May this day  
bring you peace

Cunningham  
Cartage

## Outlines Corn's Contribution to Happy Christmas

Everyone in the Midwest is familiar with corn—but who knows what it does for them at Christmas?

Corn's Yuletide role begins before Christmas, when mail becomes heavy with greeting cards, says the Corn Industries Research Foundation. Probably every card you get was made with paper sized with corn starch, printed with colored inks containing starch, and came in an envelope sealed with a derivative of starch called dextrin.

STARCH HAS similar functions in making Christmas wrapping papers, seals, stickers, colored ribbons and shiny cords and even the spools that hold them. You could have Christmas without corn starch all right, but it wouldn't be half as pretty, the Foundation says.

The Christmas morning treasures

under your tree remind how useful is the versatile corn starch in the workshop of Santa Claus. Here are dolls (starch used in the manufacture of the head); doll houses and doll furniture (starch as an adhesive); locomotive and other metal toys (starch in the casting of certain parts);

OTHER PRODUCTS of corn—dextrose and corn syrup—are represented in many gifts; games and playing cards, books and their jackets, cotton clothing, luggage, leather goods, cigarettes and tobacco, phonograph record albums and envelopes, candy of many kinds, ginger-bread icing and other Christmas confections, the labels on bottles of "Old Warhorse" and the cartons and boxes in which gifts are contained.

The turkey for dinner probably was raised on a ration containing corn gluten meal or corn gluten feed; high-protein by-products of the corn-refining process. Their contribution to Christmas is likely greater than any cited above, for the Foundation says there is a rumor that Santa Claus feeds them to his reindeer.



Christmas is a gift that  
belongs to us all... but in our  
merry-making, let us not  
forget the true meaning of the day!

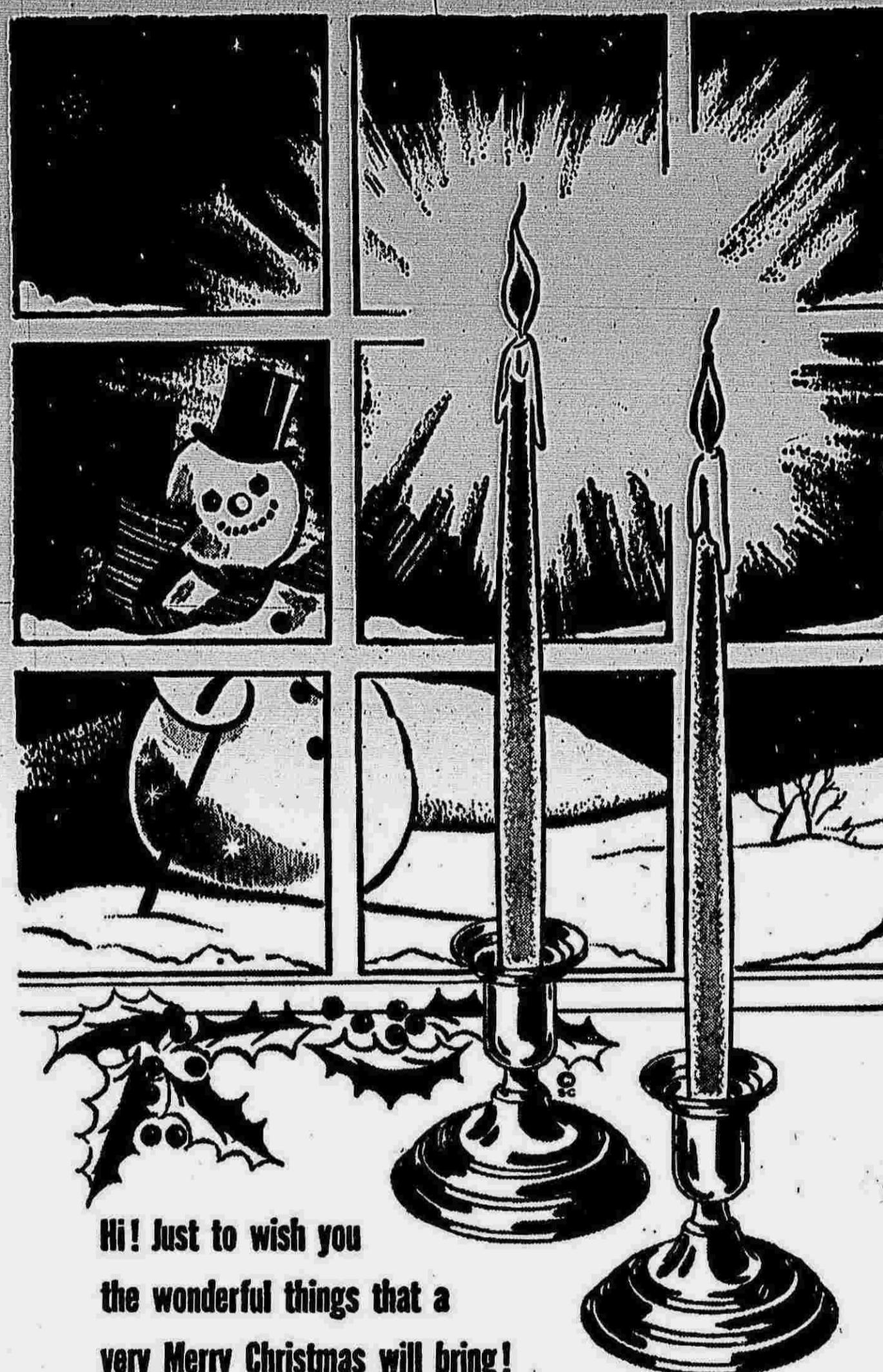
## MASEK'S SERVICE STATION



Season's Greetings

It's such a pleasure to say  
thank you to our many friends  
and customers at Christmas. May  
this Yule be filled with wonder  
and happiness for everyone....

## MANN'S FINE FOODS



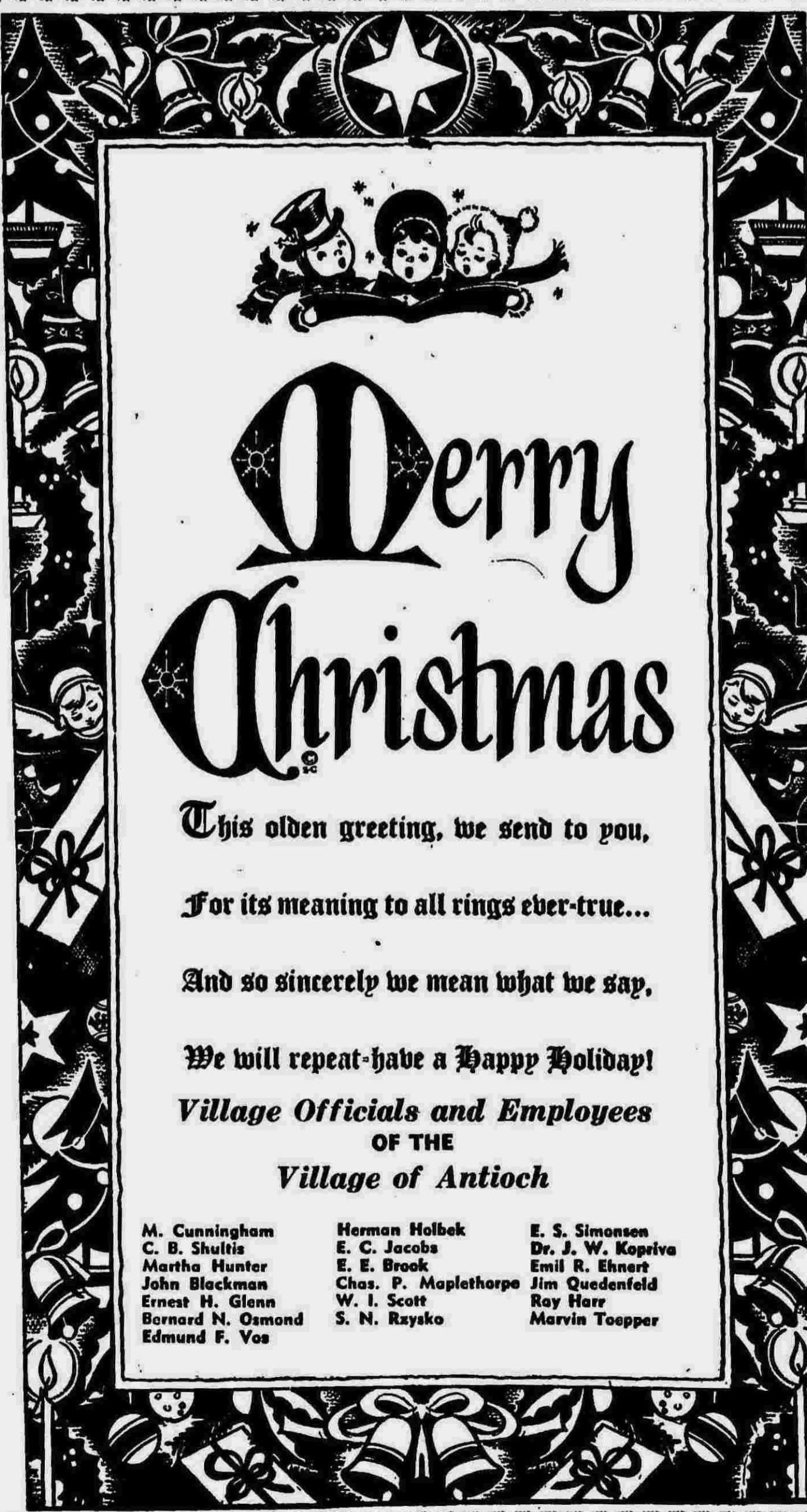
Hi! Just to wish you  
the wonderful things that a  
very Merry Christmas will bring!

## JOYOUS HOLIDAY GREETINGS

## REEVES Walgreen DRUGS

901 Main St., Antioch

GEORGE AND HELEN BOROVICKA



This olden greeting, we send to you,

For its meaning to all rings ever-true...

And so sincerely we mean what we say,

We will repeat—have a Happy Holiday!

Village Officials and Employees  
OF THE  
Village of Antioch

M. Cunningham  
C. B. Shultz  
Martha Hunter  
John Blackman  
Ernest H. Glenn  
Bernard N. Osmund  
Edmund F. Vos

Norman Holbek  
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Merry Christmas  
To One and All!

*The Jewel Box*



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May this Holy Season bring  
you an abundance of happiness!

*The best Venetian Blind Co.*



Willow Dale Dairy Company  
Grade A Milk and Dairy Products



May Your Christmas Be  
Bright As Holly Berries!

**Bill's Welding & Steel Sales**

312 Depot St.  
Antioch

## Lake Villa News

Lake Villa, Ill. 6-5372

(written for week of Dec. 18)  
Carla Bartlett has been absent from school for two weeks because of illness. She was able to return to school today.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schreiber of Waukegan were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bartlett, Jr. recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hollis and daughter Carol of Waukegan were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Abner.

January 13th the Royal Neighbors of Cedar Lake Camp will have a pot luck supper at 6:30 p.m. at the Village hall. Secret pals will be revealed and new names picked. Also plans will be made for installation of officers to be held at a later date, details in this column at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Langbein and family are enjoying a vacation in Florida.

John Hamlin of St. Bede's Acad-

emy of Peru, Ill., will arrive home Friday to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sherwood and family left Sunday for a vacation in Florida.

Mrs. Lester Hamlin and daughter, Marilyn, were Chicago shoppers last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett and family of Waukegan were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bartlett, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Baker and Mrs. Boyle Seymour and daughter of Rockford were dinner guests Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blumenschein.

Fred Bartlett, Sr., is still confined to his home with a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wallace were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Fish on Beck rd., Lake Villa.

Mrs. Ethel Wood of Evanston, Ill., will spend a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Avery.

Despite the cold weather, the band concert given by the Lake Villa Grade School band was well attended and the concert was enjoyed by all present.



## O, HOLY NIGHT...

When Bethlehem's Star shone e'r so bright

Both Kings and Shepherds knelt at the sight

Knowing it as Herald of Our Savior's Birth,

Signifying the deliverance of Peace On Earth.

**The First National Bank of Antioch**

## Drivers of Small Cars Need Special Set of Road Rules; Here They Are

If you drive a small European model auto, you need to know and observe a special set of driving rules that help to safeguard you against getting clobbered by the big fellows on the road.

Studies made by the Institute for Safer Living of a big insurance company indicate that small cars can associate happily with larger, faster vehicles in relative safety, if their drivers have due regard for size, weight and speed limitations, and if they obey all of the rules of the road.

**SMALL CARS** are like terriers running with a pack of greyhounds, says the Institute. They are nimble, can dodge quickly, are highly maneuverable and fit readily into small traffic spaces. But, they should not try to keep up with the pack on a high-speed run.

These and other small-car features can be safety assets, or they can spell trouble, depending how well the car is handled.

Here are a few suggestions the Institute offers:

**AVOID "GETTING LOST"** in traffic. Don't follow a bigger car or truck too closely, or duck behind it, or pass on the right. Remember, the low silhouettes of the small cars make them extremely difficult for drivers of larger cars to see. The "blind spot" is bigger when small car is involved.

Be cautious when pulling away from the curb into traffic. Make sure you do not pull out ahead of an approaching vehicle too quickly. Driver of the other vehicle may not have seen you. Make full use of directional signals.

**VISIBILITY** IN smaller cars is often more limited. Make necessary allowances for it. Keep glass areas

clean, and keep a safe distance from the vehicle you are following (at least one car length for each 10 mph of speed your car is traveling) so that you can see what is going on up ahead.

Safety belts are recommended, since you may be thrown out of your car in case of collision.

Never pass another car until you're sure you have the pick-up to make it safely. Fifty to fifty-five miles per hour is about as fast as you can safely travel in small utility cars. Above fifty, your car accelerates slowly. You have little reserve power left for passing or meeting emergencies.

**AVOID SUDDEN** or continual lane changes on throughways. Stay out of passing or high-speed lanes as much as possible. Leave them for the bigger greyhounds.

Make sure your car is readily visible at night. Some small car owners make effective use of scotchlite strips, or extra reflectors. Any such extras should conform to state motor vehicle regulations.

Resist all temptations to "show-off" your small car's quick darting performance.

**ALWAYS REMAIN** conscious of the fact that if you do collide with a larger vehicle, you're almost sure to come out second best.

The principal reason that small cars may be unsafe to drive on American highways is that they are more difficult to see than the "standard" size car, according to the Institute. Be sure that your intended moves are seen by other drivers sharing the road. But, large or small, automobiles have one thing in common. In the long run it's the driver's skill and know-how that keeps them out of accidents.



Time again  
to say,  
have a  
Merry  
Christmas  
Day!  
The  
Record  
Nook

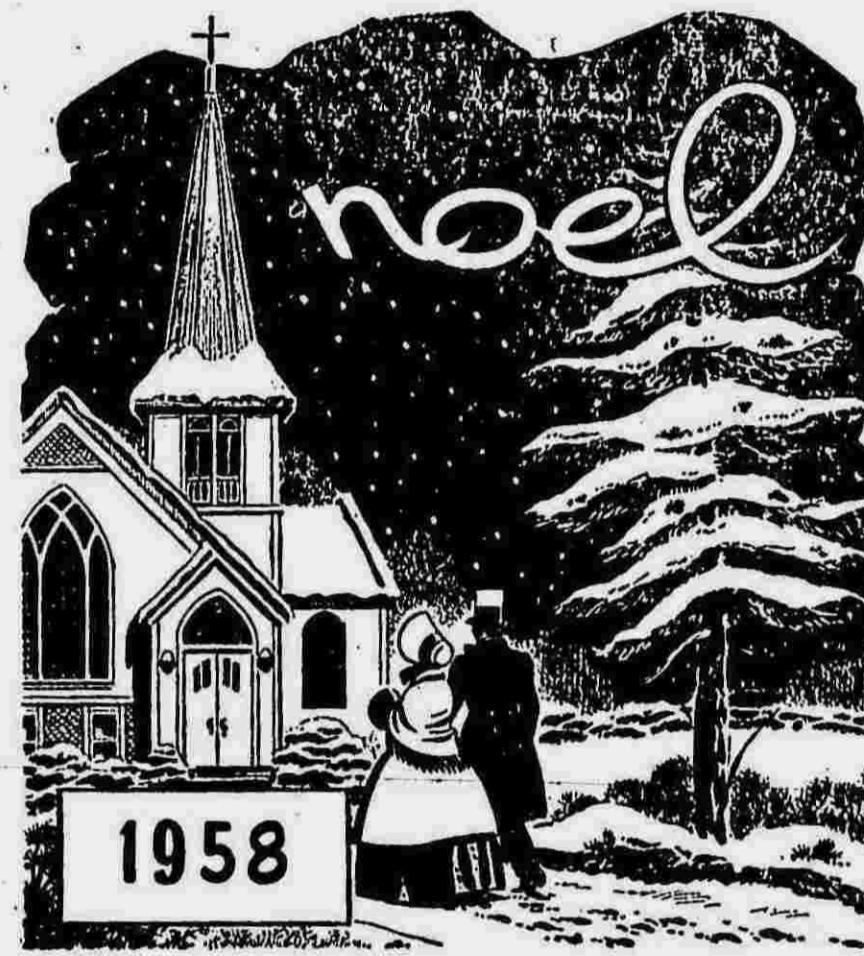


Oh Silent Night  
May your Christmas  
be this calm and bright!

Cap Radke & Son

909 MAIN ST.

ANTIOCH, ILL.



With grateful hearts we raise our voices in  
prayer that people in all places will come to  
know the true spirit of the Yule season, and  
that peace will reign forever.

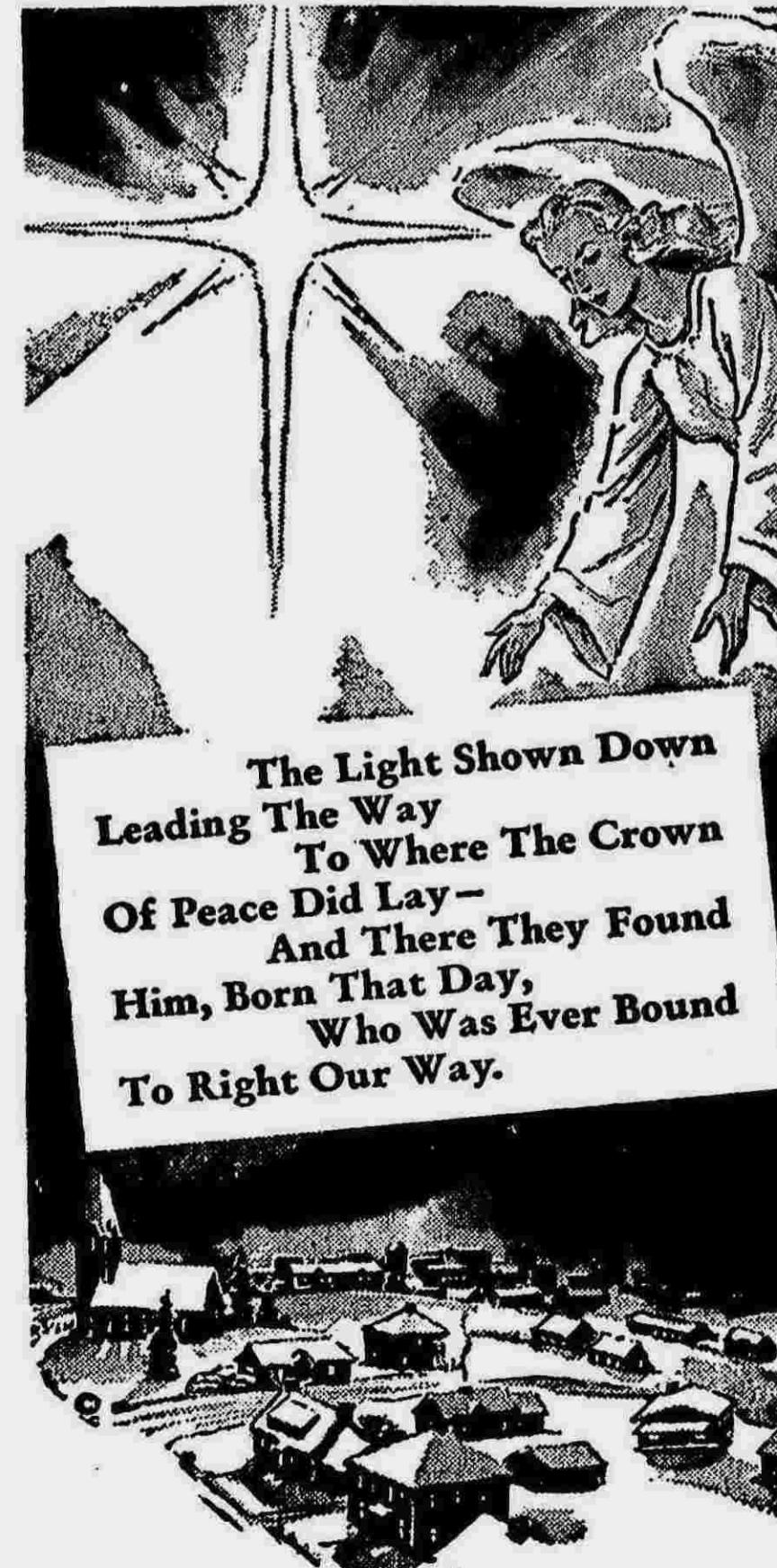
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909 Main Street Antioch



Just Coming Around to Say—  
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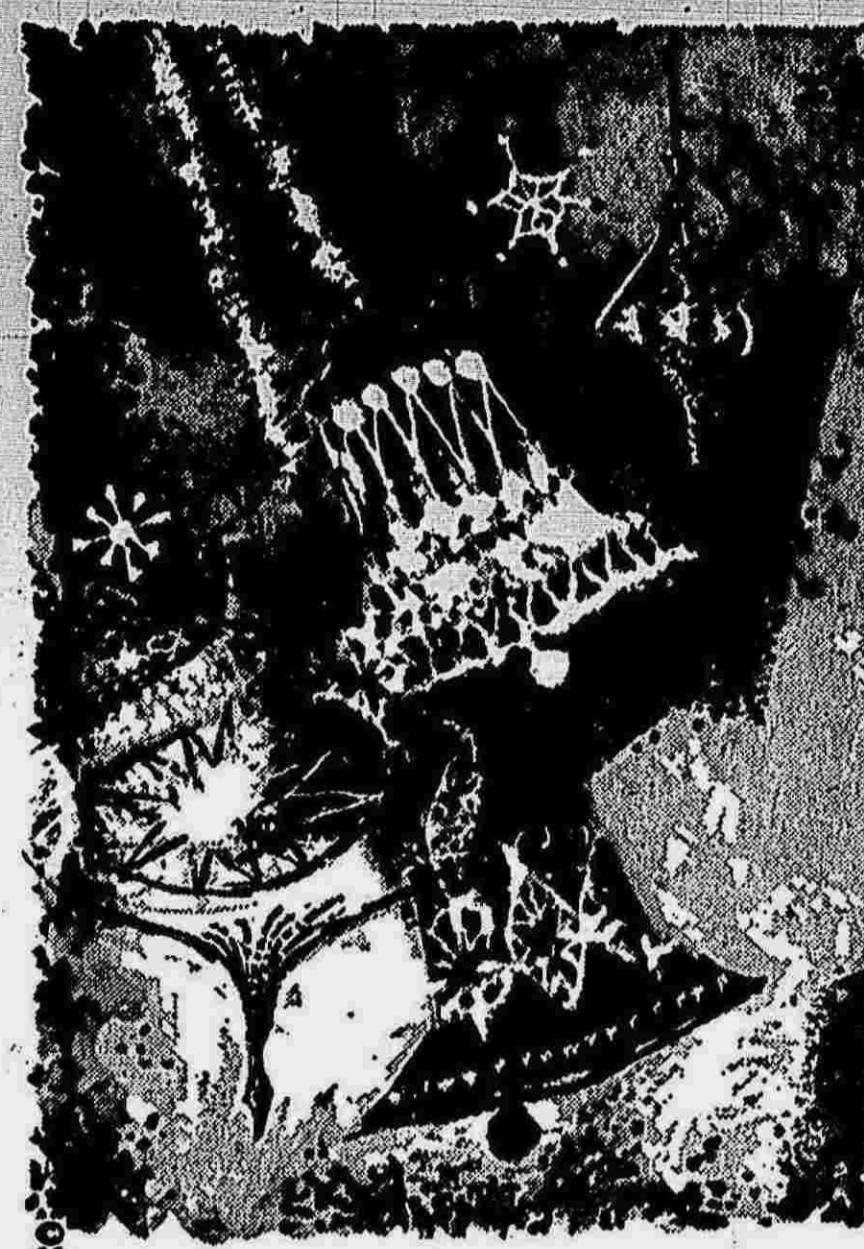
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TO OUR FRIENDS

May your Christmas be merry,  
gay, and bright as the twinkling  
baubles that bedeck your tree!

ADOLPH'S  
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Christmas  
Wishes

May this truly be a  
most enjoyable holi-  
day for you and all  
those you love.



WILTON ELECTRIC SHOP

# Christmas Hardly Over, Frostee Sno Making Preparations for Easter

## Foam Bunnies Taking Place of Santas, Snowballs, Flakes

In these last few days of rushing by last minute Christmas shoppers, there's an unusual calm at Antioch's Frostee Sno Co., 857 Main St. Christmas season there has been over for about a month.

It's not that owner Everett Oftedahl takes Christmas lightly, because Frostee Sno has five-month yuletide. But preparations must now be made for Easter. Christmas begins in June at Frostee Sno and lasts until about the last of November.

**NOW IN ITS** 14th year in Antioch, the company still is producing its patented Frostee Sno block which sells all over the North American continent to merchandise display people and national advertisers. The snow blocks are made by a secret process developed by John Oftedahl in Chicago about 20 years ago.

The big cakes of snow, mainly an item to show coolness in summer

displays, is supplemented by fabrication of styrofoam—that sponge-appearing material which is becoming so popular in Christmas displays for home and business. It is styrofoam which those popular snow balls are made from.

**SNOW BALLS** ARE perhaps the largest single item to be made from the foamy material. Machines cut six sizes of the balls at rates of 2,000 per hour. This year Oftedahl estimates that hundreds of thousands of the balls have been made and sold all over the United States.

To make Christmas brighter, his company is constantly experimenting with new uses of styrofoam—reindeers, Santas, wreaths, lanterns, simulated candles and cut out letters. The foam can be painted almost any color with special dyes and can be cut almost any shape.

But while 50 per cent of the company's time and efforts go into snowballs and other items out of styrofoam, the other half of the time is spent making the exclusive snow blocks for business. Not too many home users have been found for the cakes which have the almost exact appearance of snow. However, Oftedahl has built an igloo on his front lawn out of the blocks. Besides for passing motorists on Rte. 173 to enjoy the igloo is fun for the Oftedahl children, Glen, 9, and Laura, 6.

**COMMERCIAL** application of the igloos has been seen around here especially in the 30-foot one built at the opening of the Waukegan Shopping Plaza two years ago.

But now the 10 employees who help Oftedahl through the Christmas season have been released and tools are being changed over to make Easter eggs. Four sizes of eggs in six colors are being made—mostly for display houses and florists.

And so while the rest of the people in this area are thinking of Santa Claus, Everett Oftedahl has visions of Easter Rabbits.

### MODERN THEME

"A modern sculptor is a man who can take a rough block of stone or wood, work on it for months, and make it look like a rough block of stone or wood."—The Sullivan Progress.

### SOME IDEAS ACCIDENTAL

"Some of our best ideas are purely accidental. We are entitled to credit only if we are smart enough to recognize the value of the accidents when they occur."—The Farmer City Journal.

*May the joys of Christmas last forever!*

**George Malek**  
Grocery  
Indian Point



## GREETINGS — ONE AND ALL

May your Christmas tree be bright and gay, and heaped with gifts and good cheer for you, and all the family!

*From All of Us at the*

**ANTIOCH NEWS**



*Greetings  
TO ALL  
OUR FRIENDS*

**Frostee  
Sno**

857 Main St.  
Antioch

## YULE GREETINGS

...best wishes  
and much joy we  
send to you, our  
patrons and  
friends!

**Russell Lasco**  
543 Lake Street  
Route 21



*Merry Christmas*

*We have enjoyed knowing  
and serving you this year!*

**Martin's Furniture**

935 Main St., Antioch



**GREETINGS TO  
ALL OUR FRIENDS**

**Green's Texaco**  
470 Main Street  
Antioch



**John's Barber Shop**  
Loon Lake, Ill.

## Joy to All

... this Christmas  
Season — and our  
thanks for your  
loyal patronage.



**Wilson Laundromat**  
Routes 59 & 173  
Antioch



**COME LET US ADORE HIM...**  
let us reserve a part of our  
joyous holiday for thoughts of Him  
Who is The Christmas Spirit.

**Antioch Welding & Radiation Service**  
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**HOLIDAY  
GREETINGS**

1958

To all our many friends with  
whom we have had such a  
fine business relationship  
during the past year we  
send greetings and best  
wishes for the coming  
Holiday Season.

**JAY & HELEN  
STEWART  
OF  
Otto's  
Steak House**



## Let Christmas Tree Be Favorite Winter Feeding Place for Birds

Don't throw that Christmas tree away! When the job of cleaning up the fallen needles gets to be too much, you can enjoy the tree just as much by moving it from the living room to the yard—after you fill it with goodies for the birds.

The tree can be a life-saving gathering place for every feathered friend for miles, as well as the showplace of the neighborhood, if you deck it out with plain and fancy bird delicacies. You'll have a ringside seat for Mother Nature's flying circus while you keep winter-starved birds alive.

**WHAT SHOULD** go on your birds' Christmas tree? A good assortment includes popcorn, peanut butter, beef suet and pieces of apple. Popcorn (unsalted) especially lends itself to many interesting forms, from a simple string to a clever bird cage, and you'll have great fun making popcorn ornaments as a family project.

When you set up your birds' tree, tie it to something steady such as a post, fence or another tree so it won't be knocked over by the wind or neighborhood cats and dogs.

Put the food where the birds can reach it from a perch since most of them can't fly and eat at the same time.

**DON'T BE** disappointed if birds do not flock to your tree right away. They will want to watch it for a time to see if it is safe. The closer it is to other bushes or trees, the better they will like it.

The important thing is to keep the feeding up all winter, since food is very hard for birds to find in cold weather and they will come to depend upon you until spring.



May all  
your hopes  
and dreams  
come true this  
Christmas!

Homer LaPlant



John's River Inn

Route 173  
Antioch



Merry Christmas  
Just a note  
from us to say, have a  
Most Happy  
Holiday!

E. Elmer Brook  
915 Main St.  
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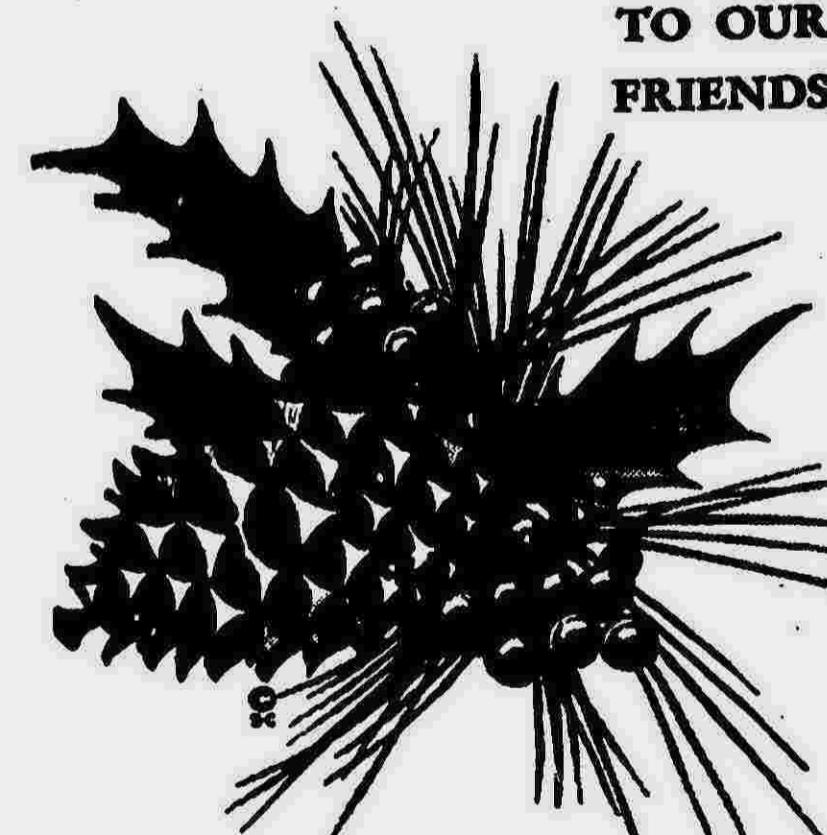
Merry  
Christmas  
To Our Friends!

The Tot Shop  
920 Main St.  
Antioch



Antioch  
Electric  
Service  
543 Lake St.

YULETIDE GREETINGS  
TO OUR  
FRIENDS



Pinetree Manor Greenhouse  
Route 59 — Lake Villa



Merry Christmas,  
Everyone!

BZB TAP  
Art & Edith Mae Palenske  
Channel Lake



Joy  
to the  
World!

Christmas Greetings To All

Strang Funeral Home  
Antioch, Illinois



Greetings  
Our Sincere Best  
Wishes for a Happy  
Holiday to Each of You!

Cosgrove Shoes  
Antioch, Illinois



We'd like to gaily-bedecor your  
Christmas tree with ornaments  
of Health, Wealth, and Laughter!

J. P. MILLER

## "The Horse Who Wanted A Sleigh for Christmas"

BY  
RODD COLLYER

Once upon a time, many years ago, there lived a small horse who wanted very much to own a sleigh for Christmas.

Many, many times the horse had been left out of the festivities on Christmas day because he did not have a sleigh in which to pull the wonderful people that came to the stable on that day.

The little horse was so sad. "It's not that I want a big, beautiful sleigh to pull people in. It's just that I want a sleigh. Any old sleigh will do." And with that, started to whimper softly to himself.

Now in the stable where the little horse was kept there also lived another horse named Miki who had a sleigh and therefore did not want one for Christmas.

Miki overheard the little horse whimpering and said, "Do not cry, little one. You should be happy that you do not have a sleigh, for it is quite hard work to pull one."

And with that, another horse named Yellow Boy on the other side of the little horse said, "Do not listen to that old hunk of horsemeat, little one. She is just jealous because she thinks you will probably take over her job this Christmas. You really do have a chance this year, you know. You're quite big enough now."

And the little horse said, "But I do not want to take Miki's sleigh away from her. I don't wish to spoil her fun on Christmas. I just want one of my own." And with that began to cry again.

Now while all this was going on, the owner of the stable, a good man named John, was getting the hay and oats ready to give to the horses. Then, after he was through passing out their food, he went back and gave each of the horses a lump of sugar. When he came to Yellow Boy, he whispered in his ear, "Try to console the little one for a few days more, Yellow Boy, for he has a surprise coming on Christmas."

Yellow Boy whinnied in agreement.

Next John went to the little one and gave him two lumps of sugar. "Just think, little one, only four more days until Christmas," he said enthusiastically.

But the little horse just stood there and munched on the lumps of sugar, still wishing, but with doubt, that he would just get a sleigh for Christmas.

And so the days went on, the little one whimpering to himself, Yellow Boy trying to console him, and Miki not saying much of anything.

Slowly the days went by, until at last it was Christmas Eve.

The little one had gotten it into his head that miracles did happen and that one of them would bring his coveted sleigh to him, and there-

fore worried no more, but was gay and happy. He went around telling everyone how proud he would be on Christmas day and everything would be just wonderful when he got his sleigh.

Yellow Boy could not stand to see the little one build up his hopes this way, for John had just told him that, unfortunately he would not have enough money this Christmas to get the little one a sleigh of his own.

So, after the little one had gone to bed that Christmas Eve, Yellow Boy called a meeting of all the other horses in the stable. He explained everything to them and then said, "This is what we have to do since we can't just stand by and see the little one's heart broken tomorrow morning—let's draw straws and whoever gets the smallest one will give his sleigh to the little one for Christmas." Everyone agreed, and the straws were drawn.

And who do you think had to give up his sleigh? Why it was Miki, of course.

Miki said, "All right, fellows, I'll be a good guy and go along with you, but can I just keep my sleigh tonight and give it to the little one tomorrow?"

Finally the other horses gave in and Miki went over to sleep beside his sleigh for the last time.

The little one was the last one to wake up on Christmas morning, and when he looked around he saw that none of the other horses were in their stalls. They were all crowded around something in the middle of the stable, and he couldn't see what it was.

As he trotted over to where the other horses were, he saw Miki still sleeping by his sleigh, and was wondering what he was doing there. "He must have gotten over anxious and couldn't wait to be near his sleigh," he thought.

As he neared the other horses they backed away so that he could see what they were all crowded around.

And what do you think? It was a bright, shiny, new, red sleigh with little silver bells around it.

The little one said, "My miracle, it's happened," and went tearing over so that he could get a much closer look at it.

Just at that moment John came in, and saw, with a quick glance of his eye, what had happened and went over to see the new sleigh. "Truly miracles do happen," he said, and with that hitched up the little one to the sleigh.

And do you know something? I think that the little one was just about the happiest horse in the whole world that Christmas day.

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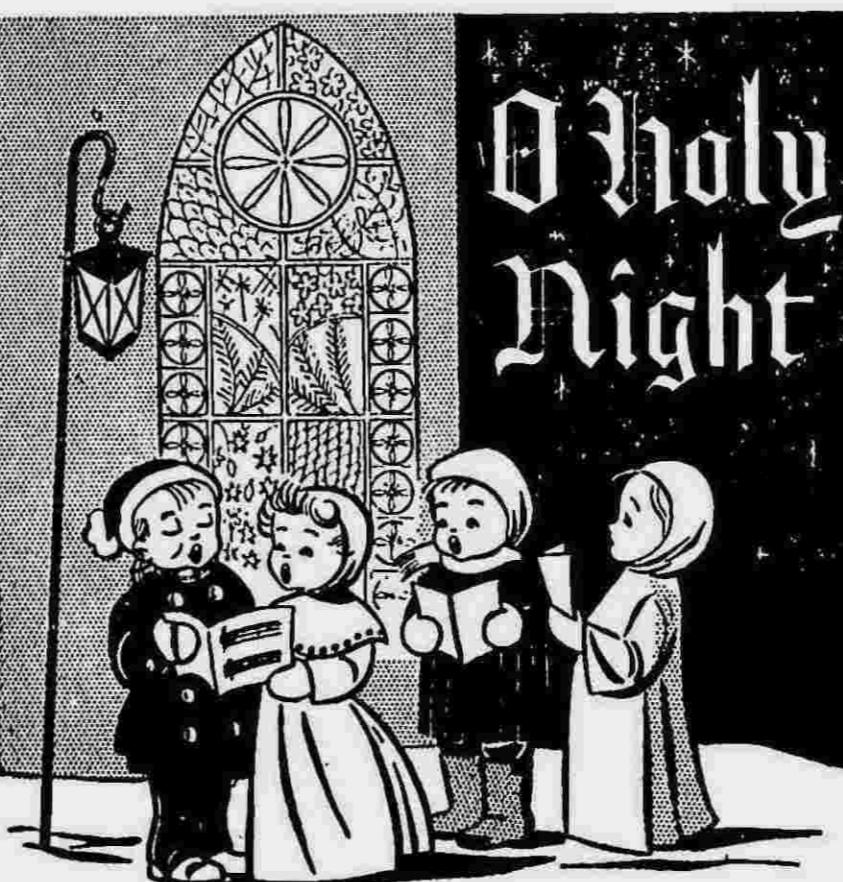
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May It Be the Perfect Picture of Gifts Galore —  
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Good Cheer Throughout the Year.

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913 Main in Antioch



Merry Christmas To All!

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With hopeful hearts we join you in singing His  
praise. May people everywhere come to know and  
love the true spirit of Christmas and the joy that  
comes from giving as well as receiving.

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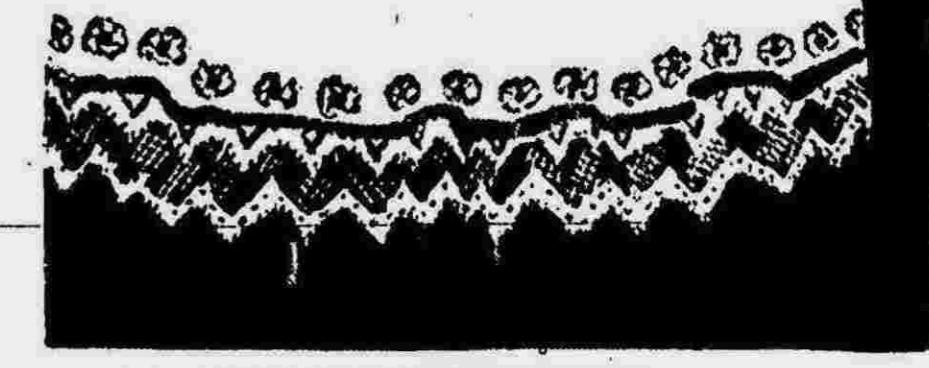


"Joy to the  
World" ... It is  
Christmas! We hope  
you have a very  
Merry Holiday!

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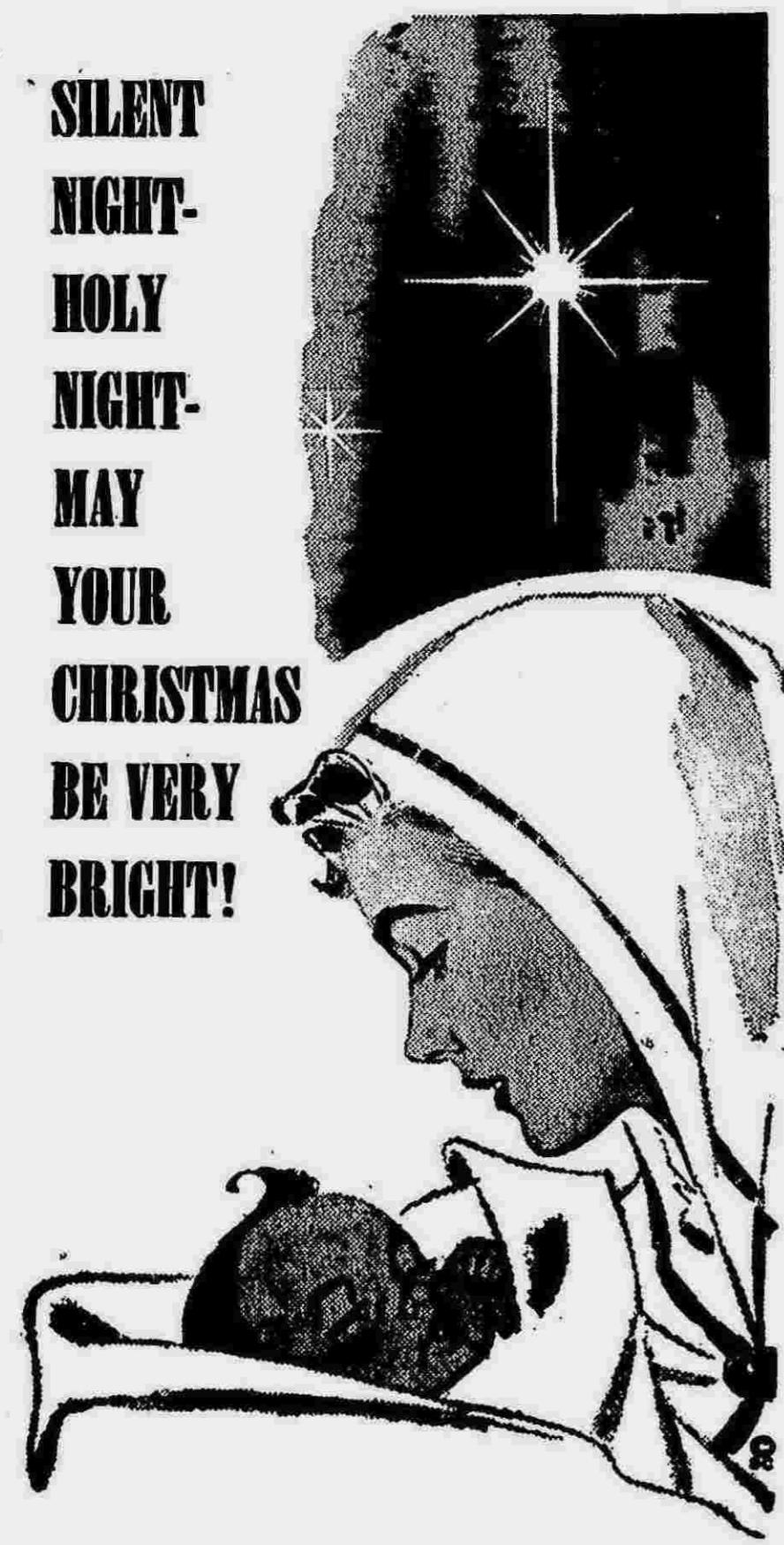


Christmas  
Joy



May your holiday abound with  
lasting happiness —  
And your heart be filled with  
the greatest gladness.

SILENT  
NIGHT.  
HOLY  
NIGHT.  
MAY  
YOUR  
CHRISTMAS  
BE VERY  
BRIGHT!



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ROUTE 21 — SOUTH OF ANTIOCH

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